

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Shigeo KONUMA et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2172
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Application No.: 10/781,621)	Examiner: Omar R. ABDUL-ALI
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Filed: February 20, 2004)	Confirmation No.: 4117
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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS)	
AND IMAGE FORMING)	
CONDITION DISPLAYING)	
METHOD)	

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE"), fulfills the requirements for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and is in response to the Final Office Action mailed December 7, 2010, the period for response to which extends through March 7, 2011. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.